# Fire Regime and Condition Class (FRCC) Software Installation/Upgrade Notes Version 1.1.2.1

## **FRCC Software Installation Notes**

The FRCC software version 1.1.2.1 can be installed with the following steps:

- 1. If a previous version of either the FRCC Standard Landscape or Landscape Scorecard applications were installed, please follow the instructions to *Upgrade from previous versions of the FRCC software* listed below.
- 2. **Download the FRCC software install file** from the FRCC website at <a href="www.frcc.gov">www.frcc.gov</a>. The FRCC software install file is called FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip and can be downloaded by clicking on the *Software* menu, then select the *FRCC Software Installation* menu item to get to the *FRCC Software Installation* web page.
- 3. <u>Install J2RE if needed.</u> The FRCC software has been developed as a Java application which accesses a Microsoft Access database. Make sure that a current version of the Java 2 Run-time Environment (J2RE) has been installed. If in doubt, a J2RE install file (j2re-1\_4\_2\_04-windows-i586-p.exe) has been included in the FRCC Software Installation file. Go ahead and run the J2RE install file to make sure the latest version of Java is installed. The FRCC software requires J2RE version 1.4.2 or later. You will need to be logged in with Administrator rights when installing or upgrading the J2RE.
- 4. <u>Install Microsoft Access if needed</u>. The FRCC database was developed as a Microsoft Access 2000 database. The FRCC application will run with Microsoft Access 2000 or a later version of Microsoft Access. The FRCC application also appears to interface properly with Microsoft Access 97.
- 5. Extract the FRCC.jar and FRCC.mdb files from FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip into a folder on the destination computer. (If the files are being copied from a CD, make sure they are not Read-Only.)
- 6. <u>Create a shortcut to FRCC.jar</u> to make it easier to start the FRCC application on the computer's desktop (or Start Menu.) You should rename the shortcut to *FRCC*. A shortcut on the computer desktop can be created by right clicking on FRCC.jar and selecting *Send To->Desktop*.
- 7. **Start the FRCC application** by double-clicking on the *FRCC* shortcut which points to the FRCC self-executing jar file (FRCC.jar). The FRCC application desktop will start. If you did not create a shortcut, the FRCC application can be started by double clicking on the FRCC.jar file.
- 8. **Open the desired form** (Standard Landscape, Landscape Scorecard or Stand Scorecard) by selecting the *File* menu from the FRCC application desktop, selecting the *Open Forms* submenu, then select the appropriate form submenu from the *Open Forms* submenu.
- 9. While the form is opening, a dialog will be displayed asking if you want to "Import data from version 1.0.5 FRCC Standard database?" This is a new install of the FRCC application, so click on *No*.
- 10. The appropriate FRCC form will be displayed, allowing you to enter FRCC data.

# **Upgrade from previous versions of the FRCC software.**

Unlike previous versions of the FRCC software prior to version 1.1.2.0, the Standard Landscape, Landscape Scorecard and Stand Scorecard methods have been merged into a single FRCC application.

If you had previously installed version 1.1.2.0 of the FRCC Software, follow the instructions in the *Upgrade from FRCC Software* version 1.1.2.0.

If you had previously installed both the FRCC Standard Landscape and Landscape Scorecard applications, follow the instructions in the *Upgrade from BOTH FRCC Standard Landscape and Landscape Scorecard version 1.0.5* section below.

If you had previously installed only the FRCC Standard Landscape application, follow the instructions in the *Upgrade from ONLY FRCC Standard Landscape version 1.0.5* section below.

If you had previously installed only the FRCC Landscape Scorecard application, follow the instructions in the *Upgrade from ONLY FRCC Landscape Scorecard version 1.0.5* section below.

#### **Upgrade from FRCC Software version 1.1.2.0:**

If you currently have installed both the FRCC Landscape Scorecard and Standard Landscape applications version 1.0.5, it can be upgraded to the current version (1.1.2.1) with the following steps:

- 1. <u>Download</u> the FRCC software install file from the FRCC website at <u>www.frcc.gov</u>. The FRCC software install file is called FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip and can be downloaded by clicking on the *Software* menu, then select the *FRCC S/W Installation* menu item to get to the *FRCC Software Installation* web page.
- 2. Extract the FRCC.jar file from the installation zip file (FRCC\_Install.zip) into the folder on the destination computer where version 1.1.2.0 of the software was installed. This will copy FRCC.jar over the previous version of the jar file.
- 3. **Start the FRCC application** by double-clicking on the *FRCC* shortcut which points to the FRCC self-executing jar file (FRCC.jar). The FRCC application desktop will start.

#### **Upgrade from BOTH FRCC Standard Landscape and Landscape Scorecard version 1.0.5:**

If you currently have installed both the FRCC Landscape Scorecard and Standard Landscape applications version 1.0.5, it can be upgraded to the current version (1.1.2.1) with the following steps:

- 1. <u>Download</u> the FRCC software install file from the FRCC website at <u>www.frcc.gov</u>. The FRCC software install file is called FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip and can be downloaded by clicking on the *Software* menu, then select the *FRCC S/W Installation* menu item to get to the *FRCC Software Installation* web page.
- 2. Extract the FRCC.jar file from the installation zip file (FRCC\_Install.zip) into the folder on the destination computer where version 1.0.5 of the software was installed. This will copy FRCC.jar over the previous version of the jar file.
- 3. **Start the FRCC application** by double-clicking on the *FRCC* shortcut which points to the FRCC self-executing jar file (FRCC.jar). The FRCC application desktop will start. If you created a shortcut to the self-executing jar file when you installed a previous version of the FRCC Landscape Scorecard, you should rename that shortcut to *FRCC*. If you did not create a shortcut, the FRCC application can be started by double clicking on the FRCC.jar file.
- 4. **Open the Standard Landscape** form by selecting the *File* menu from the FRCC application desktop, selecting the *Open Forms* submenu, then selecting the *Standard Landscape* menu-item from the *Open Forms* submenu.
- 5. While the Standard Landscape form is opening, the FRCC application will upgrade the FRCC database (FRCC.mdb) to version 1.1.2.0.
- 6. A dialog will be displayed asking if you want to "Import data from version 1.0.5 FRCC Standard database?" You previously installed the FRCC Standard Landscape application and want to import that landscape data (from FRCCdata.mdb) to your FRCC database (FRCC.mdb). Click on "Yes".
- 7. An Open File dialog will appear in which you can navigate to the Standard Landscape version 1.0.5 database (FRCCdata.mdb) containing your data. The FRCC application will then import your Standard Landscape data from the database you specified.
- 8. After the FRCC application has finished importing the Standard Landscape data, the FRCC Standard Landscape form will open, allowing you to enter Standard Landscape data.

#### **Upgrade ONLY from FRCC Standard Landscape version 1.0.5:**

If you currently have installed only the FRCC Landscape Scorecard application version 1.0.5, it can be upgraded to the current version (1.1.2.1) with the following steps:

- 1. <u>Download</u> the FRCC software install file from the FRCC website at <u>www.frcc.gov</u>. The FRCC software install file is called FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip and can be downloaded by clicking on the *Software* menu, then select the *FRCC S/W Installation* menu item to get to the *FRCC Software Installation* web page.
- 2. <u>Install J2RE if needed.</u> The FRCC software has been developed as a Java application which accesses a Microsoft Access database. Make sure that a current version of the Java 2 Run-time Environment (J2RE) has been installed. If in doubt, a J2RE install file (j2re-1\_4\_2\_04-windows-i586-p.exe) has been included in the FRCC Software Installation file. Go ahead and run the J2RE install file to make sure the latest version of Java is installed. The FRCC software requires J2RE version 1.4.2 or later. You will need to be logged in with Administrator rights when installing or upgrading the J2RE.
- 3. Extract the FRCC.jar and FRCC.mdb files from FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip into a folder on the destination computer. (If the files are being copied from a CD, make sure they are not Read-Only.)
- 4. <u>Create a shortcut to FRCC.jar</u> on the computer's desktop (or Start Menu) to make it easier to start the FRCC application. You should rename the shortcut to *FRCC*. A shortcut on the computer desktop can be created by right clicking on FRCC.jar and selecting *Send To->Desktop*.
- 5. **Start the FRCC application** by double-clicking on the *FRCC* shortcut which points to the FRCC self-executing jar file (FRCC.jar). The FRCC application desktop will start. If you did not create a shortcut, the FRCC application can be started by double clicking on the FRCC.jar file.
- 6. **Open the Standard Landscape form** by selecting the *File* menu from the FRCC application desktop, selecting the *Open Forms* submenu, then select *Standard Landscape* from the *Open Forms* submenu.
- 7. While the Standard Landscape form is opening *for the first time*, you will be asked if you have a version 1.0.5 Standard Landscape database (FRCCdata.mdb) you would like to import to the FRCC database (FRCC.mdb). Answer "Yes".
- 8. An Open File dialog will appear in which you can navigate to the Standard Landscape version 1.0.5 database (FRCCdata.mdb) containing your data. The FRCC application will then import your Standard Landscape data from the database you specified.
- 9. After the FRCC application has finished importing the Standard Landscape data, the FRCC Standard Landscape form will open, allowing you to enter Standard Landscape data.

## **Upgrade ONLY from FRCC Landscape Scorecard version 1.0.5:**

If you have previously installed the FRCC Landscape Scorecard application version 1.0.5, it can be upgraded to the current version (1.1.2.0) with the following steps:

- 1. <u>Download</u> the FRCC software install file from the FRCC website at <u>www.frcc.gov</u>. The FRCC software install file is called FRCC\_Install\_1\_1\_2\_1.zip and can be downloaded by clicking on the *Software* menu, then select the *FRCC Software Installation* menu item to get to the *FRCC Software Installation* web page.
- 2. Extract the FRCC.jar file from the installation zip file (FRCC\_Install.zip) into the folder on the destination computer where version 1.0.5 of the software was installed. This will copy FRCC.jar over the previous version of the jar file.
- 3. **Start the FRCC application** by double-clicking on the *FRCC* shortcut which points to the FRCC self-executing jar file (FRCC.jar). The FRCC application desktop will start. If you created a shortcut to the self-executing jar file when you installed a previous version of the FRCC Landscape Scorecard, you should rename that shortcut to *FRCC*. If you did not create a shortcut, the FRCC application can be started by double clicking on the FRCC.jar file.
- 4. **Open the Landscape Scorecard form** by selecting the *File* menu from the FRCC application desktop, selecting the *Open Forms* submenu, then selecting the *Landscape Scorecard* menu-item from the *Open Forms* submenu.
- 5. While the Standard Landscape form is opening, the FRCC application will upgrade the FRCC database (FRCC.mdb) to version 1.1.2.0.
- 6. A dialog will be displayed asking if you want to "Import data from version 1.0.5 FRCC Standard database?" You have not previously installed the FRCC Standard Landscape application. Click on "No".
- 7. The Landscape Scorecard form will open allowing you to enter FRCC Landscape Scorecard data.